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LOCAL "MILK TRUST" TO BE INVESTIGATED

Charleroi Marketing Club Raises Question as to Prices

COMMITTEE APPOINTED

Women to Find Out if Possible Reasons for Increase--Follows Local Meeting

Charleroi's Milk Trust is to be investigated. This so-called trust is the Fallowfield Dairymen's Association, and is composed of the leading dairymen who supply milk to the citizens of Charleroi and vicinity. It is not so large in numbers, but it is every bit as effective in its provisions as any of the big concerns that have gone through the governmental "busting" process. The investigation of the local milk trust is to be made by a committee of the Charleroi Marketing Club.

Action along this line was taken at the regular meeting of the Marketing Club in the rooms of the Charleroi Business Men's Association Tuesday afternoon, at which time the club was addressed by O. Evans Mikesell, county sealer of weights and measures. After the address, the milk question was brought up and discussed, and the women present were of the opinion that the Fallowfield Dairymen's Association was "pulling one over" on them, when it fixed the retail price at 8 cents a quart in summer and 10 cents for fall and winter. It was stated that at Belle Vernon and other towns in the vicinity the price of milk remains at 8 cents during the cold weather.

In the discussion it was alleged that when the local milk trust first boosted the price of milk to 10 cents they claimed that the drought had reduced pasturage and injured the hay crop so that they were obliged to buy feed for their cows at high prices. Bad roads leading in and out of town was also given as a reason for raising the price at the time. Now with abundance of rain, good pasturage and more improved roads, the price is still boosted to 10 cents on October 1. After some discussion it was decided to appoint a committee to investigate the matter, and Mrs. E. C. Niver, Mrs Geo. Woodhall and Mrs. J. S. Crawford were named by the president of the Marketing Club, Mrs. Chas. O. Frye, for that purpose.

Other business transacted by the club was the appointment of a committee on by-laws and the fixing of the second Wednesday of each month as the regular date for meeting. The meetings are to be held in the rooms of the Business Men's Association, if permission can be secured. Mrs. Talley and Mrs. Sloan were present from the Monongahela Marketing Club, and the former told of their club had a research committee, whose duty it was to read up and search out all information useful to the club and present it at the meetings. The matter of the club purchasing household scales in a body was discussed, and the secretary was instructed to write for prices to some of the dealers. Speakers for some of the future meetings were also discussed and the secretary instructed to correspond with a view of securing available ones at opportune times.

New Church is Started

Monongahelians Appointed Rev. W. H. Shawger Pastor of Denomination

Monongahela is to have a new church to be known as the People's church and already a great many have joined and pledged their support to their new pastor, Rev. W. H. Shawger, of Dover, N. J., formerly pastor of the First Baptist church of that town. Rev. Shawger has been in Monongahela for the past week and it was while there that he accepted a call as pastor for the new church. He will leave the latter part of the week for Dover, N. J., where he will settle up his business affairs and will move with his family to Monongahela about the first of November. The following officers were chosen. Clerk, Harry R. Dias; treasurer, Charles Coulter; deacons, William Brandon, Samuel Hunt, John Hodgson; trustees, David Brandon, Ernest Jones, George Pritchard; Superintendent of Sunday school, Rev. W. H. Shawger; assistant superintendent, William Brandon.

COLONEL PROMISES TO COME

Roosevelt to Take Tour up Monongahela Valley October 24

MAY NOT STOP HERE

Col. Roosevelt will take a whirl up the Monongahela valley on Thursday, October 24 This information was contained in Pittsburg papers Conmorning in Pittsburg papers. Consequently the Bull Moose people up this way are happy.

According to the plans of the leaders arranging the Roosevelt trip he will make stops at the principal towns along both sides of the river. Charleroi was not mentioned in the itinerary published in the Pittsburg papers this morning, but the strenuous Colonel will probably make this one of his stops It may be that he will come up the opposite side of the valley and if so Charleroi's chance of seeing him will be null and void except arrangements can be made to bring him here from Monessen by auto.

A meeting of Roosevelt men is to be held in Pittsburg Saturday when plans for Colonel's trip will be fully outlined. He will speak at Pittsburg on Wednesday night, October 23. On Thursday after his trip up the Monongahela valley he will continue through to Philadelphia.

DIAMOND THIEVES MAKE GOOD HAUL ON LOCAL HOME

Residence of Dr. J. B. Barth Entered--Booty Gotten Away With Approximates Total Value of About $600

Diamonds and jewelry approximating a total value of over $500 together with some money were taken by thieves who Monday night burglarized the home of Dr. J. B. Barth at 535 Washington avenue. The jewelry belonged to a guest, Mrs. Frederick Carts, of Baltimore, Md. Part of the money taken was from her pocketbook and part belonged to Miss May Barth. The burglary was not discovered until late Tuesday. The police worked quietly Tuesday afternoon not permitting news of the affair to get out until this morning.

Entrance to the Barth home was effected through a dining room window. A chisel was used to cut away a portion of the window sash around the lock. This removed it was no work to throw up the window and step in

Once inside the home the burglars evidentally moved with haste and with thoroughness. Seeing the hand bag of Mrs. Carts on the parlor mantle, they opened it and took therefrom a diamond ring, a diamond bracelet, a gold watch and gold chain and several dollars in money. From another place in the dining room they secured several dollars more which Miss May Barth has secreted. The hand bag of Mrs. Carts was carefully closed again. Some of the jewelry was contained in a small sack inside the bag. This bag was taken. Her pocketbook which also was in the hand bag was opened and the money removed.

Apparently well satisfied with their haul theb urglars went away as they had come, taking care to close down the window again. It was not until 11 o'clock Tuesday morning that the burglary was discovered. The police were called at once and given whatever information there was to be given. Mrs. Carts is of the opinion that the burglary occurred some time between 1:30 o'clock and 4 She says she heard a shuffling noise some time during the morning but paid no attention to it only realizing that the hour was after 1:30 and before 4 o'clock.

Chief of Police C. W. Albright stated this morning that he has a good clue and that he is working hard on it. He has ascertained the place from which a chisel and a hand electric light was purchased and has a good description of the purchaser. He is of the opinion that the burglary was committed by an ameteur. Police of all the surrounding towns have been notified to be on the watch and every avenue of escape is being guarded.

J. ADAM BEDE TO CLOSE UP CAMPAIGN

Republicans to Make Things Whirl From This Time Forth in All Parts of the County--Meetings Planned

From this time forth until election day Washington county is to ring with old time campaign doctrine. Spellbinders for every party and every part of every party are to spellbind, according to press announcement as they never spellbound before. Col. Roosevelt and Gov. Johnston of the Bull Moose aggregation, hot-headed and hopeful, anticipate great things from Washington county. Both are going to hit here. The Democrats are going to have their orators busy, but they have played many of their best cards. However, they are expecting great things. The Republicans are laughing up their sleeves.

Arrangements are being made for a whirlwind finish to the campaign with a big Republican meeting at Washington on October 29, when J. Adam Bede, of Minnesota will appear. J. Adam is a man who is gifted beyond the ordinary in the way of powers of expression, a fact Col. Roosevelt much laments. At a recent speech in Albuquerque, New Mexico, Mr. Bede devoted some time to Col. Roosevelt and the Rooseveltian principles that the Colonel is a second Lincoln. He said that Roosevelt did not compare in the least to the immortal Lincoln, that while the former was broad-minded and interested in the good of the people entirely, Col. Roosevelt was governed only by his selfish desire for office and power.

Meetings are being planned by the county committee and local committeemen for dates to be held in the Monongahela valley, at which some noted speakers will appear. These will be held towards the latter part of the month to offset the effect of Col. Roosevelt's trip up the Monongahela valley.

Persons who are the closest in touch with political affairs pick the Bull Moose crowd for third in Washington county. Poll books which were sent ut over a week ago from Washington are coming in and they don't substantiate by any means the claims of the Rooseveltians.

Dr. Henry W. Temple of Washington, is figured as a sacrifice in the contest against Congressman Charles Matthews. When the Washington party was formed in this county it was seen that there would have to be some sacrifices made in order to give it prestige. The result was the selection of Dr. Temple.

Congressman Matthews is recognized as a clever campaigner and a good man. He has made a good record in Congress. He is both a conservative and progressive by nature, believing in attaining the most good for the biggest number in the surest and safest and not the most radical way.

CHURCH PEOPLE TO BE COUNTED

At a recent meeting of the Monongahela ministerial association it was decided to take a religious census of Monongahela and vicinity and Rev. A. J. Hazelett pastor of the U. P. church, and T. G. Sanders, superintendent of the local Y. M. C. A. were appointed to make the necessary preparations for the work.

Notice to Purchasers

Of those Orlando, Fla., lots. I will pay you double for them now. Cash. W. I. Higgins. 66-t1

Dancing School.

Saturday afternoon for children, 2:30. Might's auditorium. 61-t3

REAL ESTATE MELON SLICED AT DONORA

The Donora Real Estate company, one of the prosperous concerns of that town, declared a dividend f 100 per cent on their capital stock of $5,000 at the last regular meeting in September. This is the second dividend the company has declared, a previous one being for 50 per cent. The company have promoted town sites in Bentleyville and Marianna and have met with unusual success. They still control considerable property in Donora and keep in close touch with real estate matters in the community.

Premier Oat and Corn Flakes. Always fresh at the City Grocery.

BUYERS SHOULD CARE FOR OWN INTERESTS

Everyone Should Have Own Measures, Says Mikesell

SPEAKS TO LOCAL CLUB

County Sealer of Weights and Measures Tells How to Secure Protection

"I would urge every member of the Marketing Club as well as every one else to procure a dry measure, a liquid measure, and a yard stick and have them all officially inspected and stamped and then check up every purchase, just as the dealer does when he received his goods from the jobber, and as the jobber does when he gets his invoice from the wholesaler and producer," said O Evans Mikesell, county sealer of weights and measures, in his address before the Charleroi Marketing Club Tuesday, in the rooms of the Charleroi Business Men's Association. "This is what every business concern does when it purchases supplies and material, and it is just as essential for you to do the same in order to protect yourself and get what you pay for."

Mr. Mikesell's address was most practical and timely. He reviewed the history of organized effort to secure correct and uniform weights and measures, which he declared next to the pure food laws was most essential to the well being of society. Our board of county commisioners—Thomas Hill, John A. Berry and A. P. Barnum—he said, caught the spirit of the times when it created the office of sealer of weights and measures, and the action is a credit to the county. Mr. Mikesell dwelt upon the need of regulation, both national and state, as well as intelligent purchasing on the part of the people.

"Buy by weight exclusively," advised Mr. Mikesell. "There is no law against selling by the box, package, can or basket, but all these containers are deceptive and you get much more for your money by purchasing exclusively by weight."

Mr. Mikesell said that it was eternal vigilance in watching small details that made big concerns prosperous and it was just as essential watch the dimes and nickels in the family. Short weights and measures take millions of dollars out of the pockets of the people every year, and add more to the high cost of living than any other source. He told how one store that would have a scale that weighed an ounce short in selling an average of 500 pounds of butter a week would in a year gain $500 in illegal sales. He spoke of the public awakening along this line and said that the European countries were far ahead of this country in that the most of them compelled correct weights and measures and enforced the law rigidly, giving the people what they paid for.

At the conclusion of the address Mr. Mikesell had a heart to heart talk with the members, who stated various conditions and asked questions which were answered and discussed. Mr. Mikesell stated that the organization of state sealers of weights and measures was preparing some acts relating to the matter which would be presented at the next session of

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Interest in Big Series

Championship Games Hold Local Interests--Bulletins Eagerly Watched

Practically every inhabitant of Charleroi was interested and anxious as to the outcome Tuesday of the opening game of the world's series between the Boston American league and New York National league teams There was a noticeable lull in business activities during the afternoon when bulletins were being posted at various points in town. Boston's victory was received with considerable enthusiasm. Similar interest attaches today's game.

CONTEST CAUSES TROUBLE

Ballot Boxes Tied up by Prothonotary Squabble

COMMISSIONERS AT SEA

The county commissioners are up against a decidedly stiff proposition in the solving of the ballot box question as a result of the Martin-Lewis contest for prothonotary. There are 30 ballot boxes gathered from all parts of the county stored at the court house in the care of H. Ed. McCutcheon, who was named as their custodian by the court. It is up to the commissioners to furnish the districts from which these came with ballot boxes.

The boxes in storage were collected by Sheriff R. G. Lutton under a special commission from the court and at an expense which was taxed up in the costs. There seems to have been no provision made for the return of the boxes and no costs were provided for this. It is to be supposed that they would have to be returned to the custody of the justices from whom they were gathered in the same manner that they were collected.

It would be manifestly unfair for the county to have to pay this expense, the officials believe, and hence another question has arisen. The attorneys for Martin have announced their intention of carrying the case to the supreme court following the adverse decision in the lower court, and this will mean a year's delay at least. There is some question whether these boxes should be touched while this is pending and if this is the case the commissioners will have to provide new ballot boxes. It will mean an expense to the county of at least $250.

It is probable that the matter will be gone into at once. as but little time remains for the securing of new boxes.

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LOCAL AGENCIES

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Mrs. Belle Sharpneck....Lock No. 4
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MATTHEWS VS. TEMPLE.

Hon. Charles Matthews, the present Congressman representing the Twenty-fourth Congresional District was for thiry years a hard working employe in an iron and steel works. He is a man who has done things, and one who knows by actual and practical experience what is best for the employer and the employe in our great iron and steel industries.

Prof. Temple is a man who has passed his days in the pulpit and in the chair of a college professorship. His ideas of economics and government are purely theoretical. He has had no experience in the school of hard knocks which so pre-eminently qualifies a man to see and know the needs of practical legislation. Mr. Temple's whole life has been spent in the atmosphere of the school and the church, out of touch with the masses who delve and toil in the industrial and commercial marts of the country. His living has always been easy and assured, and he has little conception of the practical side of life.

Mathhews, the Republican candidate for representative to Congress in the Washington-Beaver-Lawrence district, is a man whom the common people of the district need have no fear of trusting him to represent their everyday interests by re-electing him to another term in Washington when he has done himself great credit during his present incumbency. In Charley Matthews we have no high-toned, aristocratic man of ease and reputed scholarship. Charley is just a plain, sober-minded man of the common people, and will never be ashamed to own up that he is one of them.

To the farmers, the laboring men, the middle classes, and the business men of the Twenty-fourth Congressional District, are you going to select a man like Temple, one who is only a theorist in government, without a day's experience in the things of the world, a pure case of experiment, or are you going to vote for Matthews, the man who has earned his bread in the sweat of his brow and learned the practical things of life by actual contact therewith, instead of sitting around a study amid the halls of learning reading books on government? In your everyday practices you would not do such a foolish thing as to employ one who had no experience when you could as easily secure the services of one with a lifetime of hard experience.

Temple is wobbly on his theories of government. Matthews is for preserving those fundamental principals which over a century and a quarter have stood the test. Who will you trust, therefore one whom you know, or an exeprimentor? Will you vote for a man who has worked himself, or for a man of easy and aristocratic life?

WHY A CHANGE?

A president cannot make prosperity, though it is not many years ago that we had an example of how it could be unmade; but by guiding the affairs of the country to the extent of his authority he can maintain a baisis for it that commands confidence. This President Taft has done and we believe that the hysteria of the early political year is subsiding to a point where the people of the country can discern and appreciate this fact. He has stood four-square in opposition to attempts that have been made to squander the nation's resources. He has challenged waste and extravagance wherever they have shown themselves and has made a record for econmy that none of his predecessors has excelled.

These are some of the things for the voters to think about. Those who are so insistent for a change should stop to consider what a change involves A big industrial strike is an example. Every workingman knows what it means to entirely change the force of a big plant at one fell swoop. It can usually be done, but it is exceedingly expensive and involves hardships all around These are the kind of changes that big business interests usually try to avoid.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

This long-distance rooting on the world's series has its drawbacks.

There was a man in our town
Who smoked out all the flies,
And then he smoked himself out,
His body yonder lies.

Hush a bye baby,
Papa's a loafer.
Sister's a typist
And brother's a "shofer."
—Washington Observer

W. J. Bryan is still on the lyceum bureau lecturing.

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Three different kinds of Presidential victories are indicated by the straw vote in Pittsburg: Taft, Wilson and Roosevelt. They can't all win.

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If Knox should accidentally slip into the job as president, wouldn't it surprise us?

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Hurrah for New York: and to prove we're not stingy, hurrah for Boston.

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Talk about consuming anxiety. What about waiting for the world's series games?

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The trouble with campaigns is that they are all described as whirlwind.

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Many people who think twice before acting lose so much time that the opportunity is gone when they are ready.

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It is quite possible for other countries than the United States to have railroad strikes. Not only possible, but very probable.

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A New York woman recently paid a fine of $10 for kissing a New York policeman, and seemed to think it a joke. Perhaps it was.

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New York is a hard place to find jurors.

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An aeroplane collided with a windmill at Corning, N. Y. Which disproves the assertion that danger all lies in the ground.

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Banker Belmont holds the world's records so far for political contributions with $100.000 to his credit. However, there are others that are comers.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

In his address before the Charleroi Marketing Club Tuesday afternoon O. Evans Mikesell, sealer of weights and measures for Washington county, related a number of interesting incidents that came under his observation since his appointment. Mr. Mikesell has been making an exhaustive study of the necessities that exist for official inspection of weights of measures, having assisted the Pittsburg inspectors and visited and interviewed other inspectors in various parts of the state. At the Harrisburg convention of state sealers of weights and measures recently, he met many inspectors who related the various experiences they had encountered in the discharge of their duties.

"One of the incidents related," said Mr. Mikesell, "was that of a man who purchased in one of the meat markets in a city in the state seven and one-half pounds of lamb chops. The package looked rather small, and when weighed at home he found that he had only a pound and a half of chops. At the market, where he went back to register a kick, he was informed that as he had ordered the chops trimmed, the six pounds had been lost in the process of trimming.

"Investigating the matter still further, he found that the trimmings which the dealer cut off and threw in a box under the counter, were sold for eight or ten cents a pound later on."

"A butcher informed me in one of my investigations," continued Mr. Mikesell, "that in 15 or 20 years in the retail meat business he has made a fortune selling heavy brown wrapping paper at the highest meat prices. 'I got this paper,' said the butcher,' at a remarkably low price by buying large quantities at a time of the heaviest quality I could get. I used it very liberally, using two or three and sometimes more of the heavy sheets on the scale on which I placed the meat before weighing it. My customers made a point in my favor that I was not stingy with paper, and I realized a big profit on it.'

"It is against the law in this state,' said Mr. Mikesell, "to weigh in wrapping paper at the same price in selling any kind of merchandise. This comes particularly heavy on poor people who in summer time buy butter day by day, a quarter of a pound at a time, because they have no good place to keep it. Those wood cartons used, particularly if they are fastened together with tin fastenings at the corner, make a good profit for the grocer, who charge in the carton at the same price as the butter. I have been told that it is a frequent practice to keep these cartons in damp places where they will retain moisture, in order to increase their weight. This, all should remember, is contrary to law in this state. No dealer has a right to charge the price of the merchandise sold for wrappings or containers."

One of the women present at the meeting told how she saw a huckster on the street one time offer two boxes of berries for a quarter. Not finding a ready sale for these he took another box, and dividing the contents of the two boxes among the three, was soon announcing that three boxes could be had for a quarter.

Our Moving Picture Show

With poker and faro and lush
A tinhorn gambler did rush;
He picked a jasper to trim
Who put one on him;
He held in his hand a straight flush.

Watch this space tomorrow

COUNTY CLERK PREPARES NEW BALLOT SHEET

Where the form that has been in vogue for some time to be used this year in the preparation of the tally and triplicate return sheets for the November election it is probable the election boards would have to secure 10 acre fields in which to operate. In order to contain the electors and the local candidates it would be necessary if the old form was followed to have return sheets and tally sheets two feet wide by 20 feet long.

That this is fact and not fancy was demonstrated by a glance at the return and tally sheets of 1900. These sheets had only six parties on them and 34 instead of 38 electors, but in spite of this they were over 10 feet long by two feet wide. They were unwiedly to handle and made the job of the election boards anything but pleasant. This year, as far as is known, there are 10 electoral tickets in the field and the usual number of local tickets for congress and state offices.

Chief Clerk to the County Commissioners Harry R Campbell has devised a way of getting around this unhandy sheet. Mr. Campbell is an expert in this connection and always gives close and intelligent attention to the matter. This year he has determined upon a new departure in the tally sheet and return blanks. They will be put up in neat books of convenient size. The book will be 11 by 17 inches. There will be about 16 pages in the tally book.

The makeup of the official ballot will not be known to the commissioners until two weeks before election. Unless all arrangements were made this would be too short to get the ballots out: In order that all may go smoothly preliminary arrangements are being made by Clerk Campbell for getting out the ballots. The size of the official ballot has been decided upon. It will be 25 by 38 inches. The triplicate return books and tally books have been planned and the only thing remaining for decision is the number of pages that will be required in each This of course will not be decided until the official ballot information comes from Harrisburg, two weeks previous to election.

With the innovation in the return booklets and tally books it will be possible to have them returned in one envelope without any folding and thus they will be in good shape and make filing easy.

MISSION STUDY IS TAKEN UP BY WOMEN AT ANNUAL MEETING

The Christian Women's Board of Missions Auxiliary of the Christian Church met at the home of Mrs. J. O. Watson at North Charleroi on Tuesday evening. After devotional exercises the mission study "China's New Day" was conducted by Mrs. T. M. Faddis. Mrs. D. R. Duvall described thec limate, products, location and surface of China. Mrs. Scott told about the birthday present of the Christian women to the Empress Dowager. Mrs. May discussed the life of the Child Emperor, Kuang Hsu, in the Palace." Mrs. Carson gave the Effect of the New Testament on the Life of Kuang Hsu. Mrs. E. J. Dainty told of the things that led to the Boxer Uprising. Twenty visitors were present. Three new members were admitted, Mrs. Emma Dawson, Mrs. C. S. VanVoorhis, and Mrs. Ray Humbert. After the program, refreshments were served by Mrs. Watson, and a silver offering taken, to be divided between two contesting sides.

Mr. Watson showed his interest in the work by having on display a C. W. B. M. banner encased in an immense ice block, surrounded with all the tropical fruits of the season. Another similar block held a refreshing well of orangeade.

The yearly report was given by the secretary. Mrs. Harry May was the only member who had attended every meeting in the year. The financial report showed the increase in funds twice that of last year.

The Winter Club

of Charleroi will hold their weekly dance in Might's Auditorium Thursday, October 10. Select. Wheeler's orchestra. 66-t2

Dancing School.

Tuesday night dancing school, Might's Auditorium. Class 7:30. Dancing 8:45. Wheeler orchestra. 64-t2

EVANGELISTIC CAMPAIGN TO BE CONDUCTED

Pittsburg is planning a big evangelistic campaign for the month of Novembeer. Meetings will be held in all parts of the city. A four days' preparatory evangelistic program for October 14-18 is a preliminary to the month of mass meetings in churches tents, factories and mines.

Famous evangelists will come to aid in the work. The meetings next week will be held in the Second Presbyterian church, Eighth street, below Penn avenue. Men and women from all the surrounding cities are planning to attend these services. Some of the best known ministers in the country will preach at the various services.

DISCUSS MISSIONS AT LOCAL CHURCH

Rev. H. C. Gleiss, the mission superintendent of the Pittsburg Baptist Association and Rev. F. K. Singiser of Knoxville were in Charleroi Tuesday night and made addresses on thesubject of missions at the First Baptist church. They are working throughout the Pittsburg district in the interests of missions

Star Theatre Tonight.

"High Cost of Living," in two reels. The story of today told in film. Also, "The Voice of Conscience," and "Greaser and the Weakling." Thursday and Friday, 101 Bison. 65-t2

Rummage Sale.

The ladies of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church will hold a Rummage Sale. Thursday afternoon and Friday, October 10 and 11 at 317 Fifth street. 66-t2p

AN ORDINANCE.

Authorizing the Borough of North Charleroi to Enter into a Contract With the West Penn Electric Company, a corporation of the State of Pennsylvania, to furnish Electric Light to the said Borough under certain terms and conditions for a period of five (5) years.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Borough of North Charleroi, in Council assembled and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same

Section 1. That the Borough of North Charleroi be, and the same is hereby authorized and directed to enter into an agreement with The West Penn Electric Company to furnish electric light to the said Borough of North Charleroi, for its streets and highways, under the terms and conditions hereinafter stipulated, for a period of Five (5) years from the date light is first furnished under a certain agreement authorized by the passage of this Ordinance.

Section 2. Said light shall be furnished by Forty (40) 60 c. p., 7 1-2 ampere, series tungsten lamps, or lamps of equivalent illuminating power, and one-half of One (1) 7 1-2 ampere series arc lamp.

The rate per light, for each 60 c. p. incandescent lamp furnished hereunder and such additional lamps as may be installed, shall be Twenty-four Dollars ($24.00) per year, and the rate for the 7 1-2 ampere series arc lamp shall be Seventy Dollars ($70.00) per year, payable in equal monthly installments on or before the 15th day of the month next following the month in which service is rendered.

Said lights shall burn every night from dusk until dawn unless prevented from so doing by accident or other cause beyond the control of the said West Penn Electric Company.

Section 3. The President and Secretary of Council are hereby authorized and directed to execute said contract for and on behalf of said Borough.

Section 4. The West Penn Electric Company shall pay the cost for the publication of this Ordinance.

Section 5. All ordinances, or parts of ordiances, inconsistent or in any manner conflicting with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted in Council assembled this 7th day of October, A. D. 1912.

Samuel Gaskill,
President Pro Tem of Council.

Attest:
R. A. Metz,
Secretary.

Examined and approved this 7th day of October, A. D., 1912.

Harry W. Scott,
Chief Burgess.

Attest:
R. A. Metz,
Clerk of Council.

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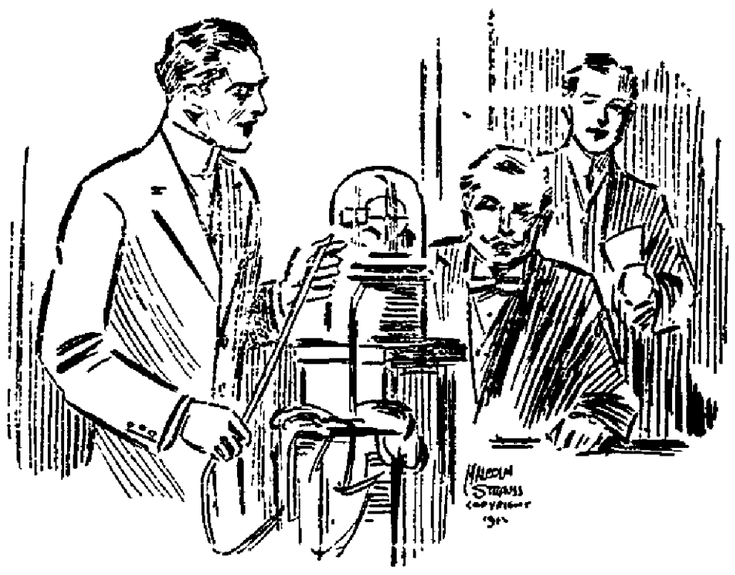

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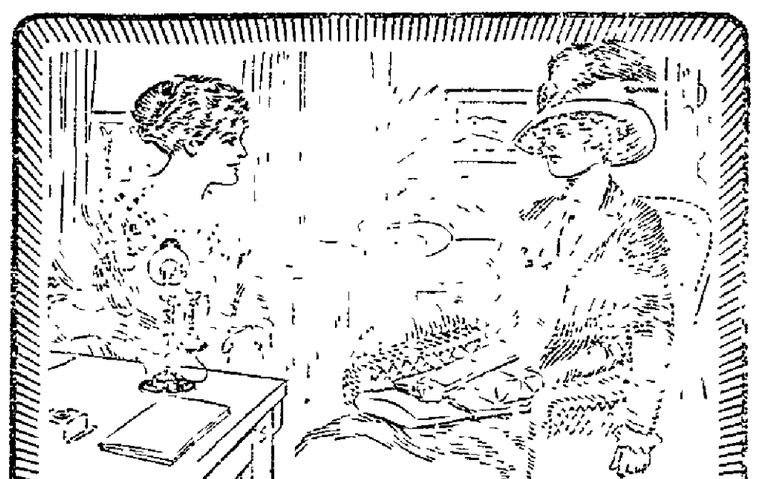

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TAFT FLAYS THIRD PARTY

Republican Party Will Gain New Vitality

DESERTERS WILL RETURN

But When They Do Let Them Bring Forth "Works Meet for Repentance"—Republicans Have Made the Grandeur of the Country for Sixty Years.

The address of President Taft to the Beverly Republican Club, Beverly, Mass., Sept. 3, was as follows:

Gentlemen of the Beverly Republican club and, I am glad to say, my fellow citizens of Beverly, I thank you for this cordial greeting. This club suggests one or two thoughts of a political character that I did not touch upon in the remarks I addressed to you on Saturday. It suggests the necessity for renewed organization of the Republican party under present conditions. The Republican party has been successful for many years. I think the last national defeat we suffered was in 1892, and that is twenty years ago. We have reached a point where it was natural that there should be some gentlemen who were convinced that their position in the party was not all that they thought they were entitled to and therefore they were in favor of sloughing off into a third party. Now, the danger in the continuance in power for a long time to the party itself is the jealousies, the factions, the quarrels within the party that long life and success are apt to generate, and, while, of course, a third party is a misfortune to the Republican party in the loss of some votes, we must be philosophical and look at this result on its good side as well as on its bad side.

I conceive in respect of the life of the Republican party that secession of a third party is going to give us new vitality in the very feeling of fight that the injustice of the claims of the third party will arouse in us as real Republicans. We know that we are a better set of men than we are now called by those who were very glad at one time to be known as leading Republicans. We know that we stand in the nation as the guardian of those institutions of civil liberty under our constitution, the preservation of which has made this nation permanent and great, and that nothing could come to this country of greater political injury than such a split in the Republican party as would destroy it.

The importance of this campaign in its immediate result is great. I could hardly state with more emphasis than I really believe the crisis that we now face with reference to the continuance of prosperity in this country by reason of the vote that we are to have in November, but there is something beyond November with respect to the Republican party. It is essential that we should continue and revitalize it as a permanent party and a permanent force in this nation for the continuance of the progress that has made it great. No student of history can deny that the grandeur of this nation and the height that it has reached among nations during the last sixty years has been due to the guidance and the force and the energy and enterprise of the Republican party. We propose to have that continue. We propose that the force represented by the Republican party shall continue useful in the history of this nation. With that in mind, I would urge upon you the necessity for closing up the ranks, finding out who is a Republican, and who is not, and when you find a man who is not, do not count him for the party One who is not loyal never helps

There is no use, gentlemen, temporizing about this matter A man is a Republican or he is not Is he going to support the national ticket, and is he going to support the State ticket? If he is he is a Republican and if he is not he is not a Republican Now such a policy may cost us some votes, but in the not distant future those gentlemen who have deserted us in the hope of enjoying office, or the emolument or a premium, on the one hand or therefrom without office on the other or party They will feel a little lonely, and then when they come back to the Republican party, as they will come back, let them [illegible]

WILLIAM HOWARD TAFT.

WILSON'S CHIEF SPELLBINDER.

The Self Degradation of a Former Republican President.

If at the time of the defeat of Burr, he any one had foretold that Benedict Arnold four years later would lead a force of British and Tories to the invasion of his own native State of Connecticut, the prediction would have been met with the greatest incredulity and indignation

If four years ago any one had predicted that a man twice honored by the Republican party with the highest office on earth—the presidency of the United States—would turn on that party and seek to rend it because it refused a third term, and would do his best deliberately to elect the choice and the representative of the southern bourbon democracy, that prediction would have seemed fully as incredible as the former.

The chief [illegible] is the brilliant spellbinder for Woodrow Wilson He knows in his heart and said that the only success possible for him should he succeed would be to defeat Taft and elect Wilson. Every vote for Roosevelt is indirectly a vote for the Democratic nominee whose supporters at Baltimore made an open appeal for his nomination on the ground that he was a native of Virginia, an ex-Confederate state, and a [illegible] his rival, Champ Clark, a native of Lincoln's state of Kentucky.

Filled with anger against President Taft, who has merited by able, faithful and distinguished service the usual meed of Republican presidents, another term in the White House, Roosevelt parades up and down, here and there and everywhere, professing any principle or lack of principle, from anarchy to oligarchy, that he thinks may win votes and throwing to the winds alike consistency, decency and that reverence which every American should feel and express for the institutions of our country.

That the aspirant for a third term will sink into richly merited oblivion there can be no doubt whatever. He might have maintained in private life the honor, the dignity and the influence belonging to his position as an ex-president. He has sacrificed them all to a Catilinian ambition and the calm and deliberate judgment of the American people will put the stamp of condemnation alike on his insatiable appetite for power and his unscrupulous demagogy.

Even the bourbons who are egging him on and rejoicing in the hope of profit from his treachery have only contempt for his motives and his course. They are delighted to see him attempt to destroy the party which abolished slavery, overthrew secession, built up American industry and maintained the financial integrity of the nation. But they have no stomach for the malice and the treachery that are behind his desperate adventure. When Aaron Burr was self exiled to Europe after the killing of Hamilton and the semitreason of his Mexican expedition an Englishman desiring to visit the United States asked him for letters of introduction. "I have no friends in America," answered the former idol and once popular vice president, with an expression of abject loneliness that his visitor could never forget. And so it will be with the perpetual candidate when his followers recover from the brief madness that now possesses them and realize alike his monstrous egotism and their own aberration.

A PERTINENT QUESTION

Which the Third Termer Did Not Care to Answer.

A man attending a third term meeting at Denver asked the third termer the very pertinent question, "Would not the Republican party have been all right if it had nominated you?"

The third termer did not reply He simply looked angry and went on dollar diplomacy, economic and socialistic chop suey garnished with the usual sauce of ethics It was, we repeat, a very pertinent question The Republican party [illegible] of the third termer until [illegible] and that the party was not willing to give him a third term This [illegible] broke loose, and [illegible]

FOR CHINESE IMMIGRATION

What Woodrow Wilson Wrote in His Well known "History"

PREFERRED IT TO EUROPEAN

"More to Be Desired as Workmen, if Not as Citizens, Than Most of the Coarse Crew That Came Crowding Every Year at Eastern Ports"

Woodrow Wilson, Democratic candidate for president of the United States, has declared himself in the most public and permanent manner in favor of Chinese immigration as preferable to foreigners from southern and eastern Europe, whom he calls "the coarse crew crowding in at the eastern ports"—that is, New York, Boston, etc. As a very large proportion of the workers in New England belong to the class denominated by Wilson as less desirable than the Chinese, they ought to be interested in the views which he has expressed and which we quote as follows from page and volume of Wilson's "History of the American People."

From page 212, volume 5. "Now there came multitude of men of the lowest class from the south of Italy and men of meaner sort out of Hungary and Poland, as if the countries of the south of Europe were disburdening themselves of the more sordid and hapless elements of their population."

From page 213, volume 5: "The Chinese were more to be desired as workmen, if not as citizens, than most of the coarse crew that came crowding in every year at the eastern ports. It was their skill, their intelligence, their knack of succeeding and driving duller rivals out rather than their alien habits that made them feared and hated and led to their exclusion at the prayer of the men they would likely displace should they multiply The unlikely fellow who came in at the eastern ports (that is the immigrants from Europe) were tolerated because they usurped no place but the very lowest in the scale of labor."

Foreign born workingmen and working women of New England, what do you think of this statement by Woodrow Wilson, Democratic candidate for president of the United States? He says that you are "a coarse crew," that the Chinese are better workmen and might make etter citizens than you are, and that you are tolerated because you usurp "no place but the very lowest in the scale of labor."

We have given you page number and volume number where these statements are to be found in Woodrow Wilson's "History of the American People." You can go to any library and read them for yourself

Woodrow Wilson is the first candidate for president of the United States who has declared himself in favor of Chinese immigration Of the estimated population of 300,000,000 in China many millions would like to come to America If admitted they would soon drive American labor out of the mills and workshops and also out of retail and much of the wholesale business. At present Wilson is keeping very mum on the subject, but there can be no doubt whatever that he would, if elected president, attempt to carry out his published views, and open the door to the Chinese In this he would have the backing of the southern Democrats, who would be glad to have the Chinese come over and work for them in place of the negroes.

In this connection we suggest particular attention to Woodrow Wilson's expression about "the unlikely fellows" from southern and eastern Europe being tolerated because they usurped no place but the very lowest in the scale of labor.

The democratic party, whose first president was Lincoln the rail splitter, whose second president was Johnson the tailor, whose third president was Andrew Jackson, who was a president Garfield the towpath mule driver, whose fourth president was McKinley, whose fifth president was Roosevelt, who [illegible] but honored

[illegible] of the [illegible] [illegible] Democrats [illegible] Democrats [illegible] Democrats

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It is proving to particular womankind that the uncomfortable features of ordinary knit underwear—the lack of fit, the imperfect conformation to the body lines—are no longer necessary (see illustrations below).

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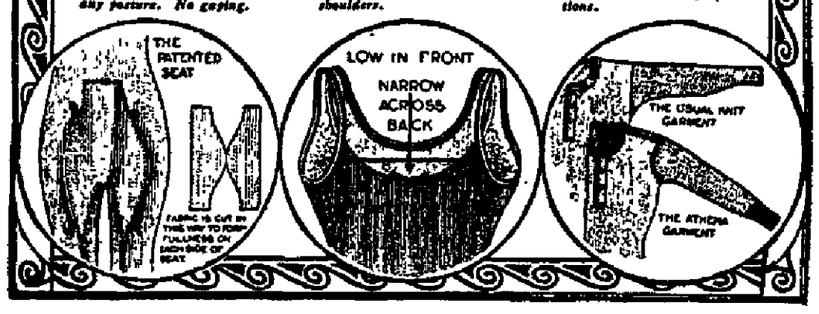

Society and Personal

(The Mail is anxious to publish all items of local interest, such as accounts of parties, entertainments or the like in this column and invites its readers to hand in notes of such. Names of those present at various functions will be published to a limited number. Personals are especially desired. More important items will be given under special head.)

A silver social will be held at the home of Mrs. J. M. Hill, 510 Washington avenue tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. S. J. Howard and children of Cherryvale, Kan., after visiting friends in Charleroi left this morning for their home. Hrs. Howard was before her mariage, Miss Florence Wilson. She is the daughter of H. C. Wilson, formerly of Charleroi.

R. C. Mountsier and J. C. Masters are in the east attending games of the world's series.

Ralph Bayne, the local transfer man suffered the loss of one of a team of horses Tuesday night.

Miss Clara E. Frye will leave tonight for Winfield, Kan., where she will spend several weeks with relatives. She will also visit in Oklahoma City.

The Winter Club will hold its regular weekly dance in the Might Auditorium Thursday night. A good-sized crowd is expected. Wheeler's orchestra is to furnish the music.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Trew and son Lawrence of Stanton, Illinois, arrived today. Mr. Trew will probably locate in Pennsylvania.

Robert Atherton of St. Helens, Eng., after a few days' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Heuton on Second street left this morning for Ford City, where he will visit briefly before sailing on Saturday for his home.

Fred Lange of Fayette City, an employe at the Spencer Auto Garage here, and Miss Kate Campbell Wilson of Allenport went to Cumberland, Md., Tuesday, secured a marriage license and it is said were married there. Both are popular young people in their respective home communities. Mr. Lange is an electrician at the local garage.

Where Did They Put It?

Yeast—When they do housecleaning at home I have the greatest trouble in finding anything. Crimsonbeak—Me too. They cleaned house at my place the other day, and when I get home, do you know, I couldn't find the keyhole for the longest time.—Yonkers Statesman.

The Difference.

"Who is the more contented—a man with a million dollars or a man with six daughters?"

"The man with six daughters. The man with the million wants more."

The arrows of sarcasm are barbed with contempt. It is the sneer in the satire or ridicule that galls and wounds. —W Gladden

He Aroused Them.

When Samuel S. Colber was preaching in an old log schoolhouse in Johnson county, Missouri, in 1852, his congregation was quite small. One Sunday all were sitting at the desks forward near the puncheon floor. The sermon was monotonous and the old log seats had no backs. Observing the sleepy, down ast look of the congregation, the minister woke them up by shouting, "Arouse, heaven is not under the floor!"

Domestic Bookkeeping.

"And what's your reason for increasing the servants' wages, pray?" her friend asked.

"Because my husband complained that my dress and millinery bills equaled the household expenses, and I want to show him they do not."—London Tit-Bits

SOAP

The kind that takes off the dirt and leaves the skin in a healthy condition.

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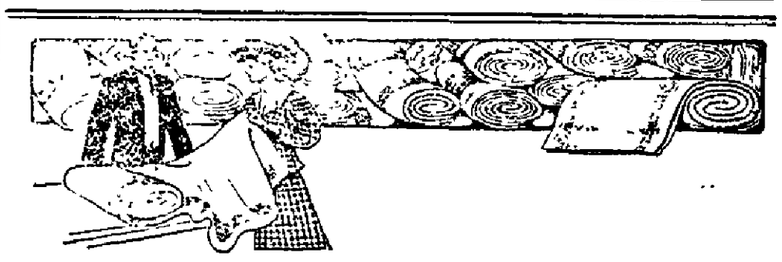

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1 1-4 Cotton Blankets in grey, tan or white, very heavy good wearing quality, fancy contrasting borders, per pair...98c

1 2-4 COTTON BLANKET.
Extra soft fleecy finish in pretty grey and white with fancy border a big warm blanket per pair $1.50

BABY BLANKETS.
Cute little blankets with fancy borders and novelty weave center per pair 50c

LAGE HEAVY COMFORTS.
in red and floral patterns, worth $1.25. Our price $1.00

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of good weight and covered both sides with reversible floral materials. Our price $1.50

HIGH GRADE SATINE COMFORT.
of extra quality satine with plain pink, blue, helio, or nile centers with beautiful floral borders, filled with fine carded cotton and scroll stitched, well worth $3.50 our price..... $2.39

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THE ECONOMIC STORE.

BOWLING

The Pirates took two out of three from the Cubs of the Pastime Bowling League at the Casino Alleys. Following is the score:

Pirates.			
Oates	98	98	124
Reitz	109	111	116
Laque	84	98	90
Osborne	91	104	105
Andrews	133	99	91
Totals	515	510	526

Cubs.			
Missiousx	92	112	112
Barrett	101	100	93
Wheeler	86	88	87
Works	96	98	139
Milliken	97	101	107
Totals	172	502	538

Standing.	W	L	Pct.
Sox	2	1	.666
Pirates	3	3	.500
Tigers	1	1	.333
Cubs	2	1	.333

The next game will be Friday between the Tigers and the Sox

BUYERS SHOULD CARE FOR OWN INTEREST

(Continued from First Page)

the Legislature, and asked the Marketing Club to aid in petitioning the county assemblymen to vote and work for their passage. His address was interesting and instructive and will be published in full in some future issue.

Lorenzo Flowers, one of the survivors of the gallant 74th Pa., Vols., is enjoying the hospitality of relatives at Barnesville, Ohio.

THREATENED WITH LYNCHING AFTER ATTACK ON GIRL

Charged with a serious offense and threatened with death at the end of a rope unless he was removed by officers, Jame Palmer, colored of West Pike Run township was lodged in jail Tuesday afternoon by Officer William Eppley of Bentleyville. Palmer's alleged victim was his 13-year-old step daughter.

Palmer is about 40 years of age. He is alleged to have threatened the life of the little girl if she made known to her mother the facts and the little girl kept the secret for several days until the mother made preparations to leave her at home alone with the step-father. It was then that the child told why she was afraid to remain with Palmer

News of the child's story was spread about the neighborhood in which Palmer resided and things began to look bad for the negro. Officers were sent for and instructed to take Palmer from the neighborhood an turn him over to the proper authorities or the residents of West Pike Run would take charge of matters and the case would soon be settled

Officers Eppley arrested Palmer and the accused man was given a hearing before Justice Grubbs of Bentleyville and held for court.

Turn Over a New Leaf

By subscribing for THIS PAPER

The Gallows Plant.

During the middle ages the botanists or old "herbalists," gave currency to many curious stories concerning the growth, form, etc., of the mandrake or May apple, which finally resulted in its being given the name of "gallows-plant." The pseudo scientists of that time declared that mandrakes would grow in no other place except upon which some terrible crime had been committed. The roots were formerly supposed to bear a strong resemblance to the human form

Moistened Her Feelings.

A little girl was playing at the table with her cup of water. Her father took the cup from her and in so doing accidentally spilled some of the water on her

"There!" she cried as she left the table indignantly. "You wet me clean to my feelings."—Everybody's.

A Cautious Girl.

"Would you die for me?" she murmured

"Gladly, darling," he answered.

"And would there," she continued softly "be anything left for me after the undertaker's bill was paid?"—Bachelor's Casket

Spoke For Twenty-six Hours

A bill was pending in the legislature of British Columbia which, if passed would drive many settlers from their lands. The legislature was within a day and a half of its final adjournment, and the vote was about to be taken. At this juncture Mr. De Cosmos, a member, rose to address the body. It was 10 o'clock in the morning, and the members thought he would finish in an hour or two. Next morning when the sun flooded the hall with the light of day the orator was still, without faltering, pouring forth his torrent of words. As the clock struck 12 the limit prescribed by law for the session arrived, and the legislature stood adjourned sine die. De Cosmos stopped in the middle of a sentence and fell fainting in his seat. He had spoken, standing on his feet, for twenty-six hours! His eyes were bleared and red, and his lips were cracked and running blood. He was nearly dead, but he had prevented the bill from becoming law.

Classified Ads.

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WANTED—Boy between 15 and 17 years old to learn drug business. Good wages. Apply Brown's Pharmacy, Belle Vernon, Pa. 61-tf

WANTED—At once, woman to take charge of the cleaning in Theatre. Good wages. Apply Mail. 59-tf

FOR SALE—Trespass signs. Prepared according to law, and contain copy of trespass law. Call at Mail office. 318-tf

FOR RENT—Nice light and airy furnished room. Good locality. Apply XX Mail office. 92tfp

LOST—Between Belle Vernon and Bentleyville a suit case. Reward if returned to G. W. King, Bentleyville. 64-t3p

WANTED—Young lady for office work. Prefer one living in Charleroi. Make application in own hand-writing and send to S..P., Mail office. 64tf

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IF you are a borrower of this paper, don't you think it is an injustice to the man who is paying for it? He may be looking for it at this very moment. Make it a regular visitor to your home. The subscription price is an investment that will repay you well.

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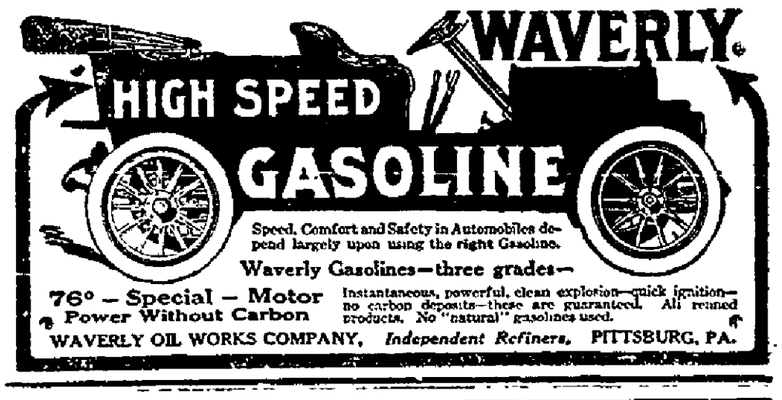

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LOCAL "MILK TRUST" TO BE INVESTIGATED

Charleroi Marketing Club Raises Question as to Prices

COMMITTEE APPOINTED

Women to Find Out if Possible Reasons for Increase--Follows Local Meeting

Charleroi's Milk Trust is to be investigated. This so-called trust is the Fallowfield Dairymen's Association, and is composed of the leading dairymen who supply milk to the citizens of Charleroi and vicinity. It is not so large in numbers, but it is every bit as effective in its provisions as any of the big concerns that have gone through the governmental "busting" process. The investigation of the local milk trust is to be made by a committee of the Charleroi Marketing Club.

Action along this line was taken at the regular meeting of the Marketing Club in the rooms of the Charleroi Business Men's Association Tuesday afternoon, at which time the club was addressed by O. Evans Mikesell, county sealer of weights and measures. After the address, the milk question was brought up and discussed, and the women present were of the opinion that the Fallowfield Dairymen's Association was "pulling one over" on them, when it fixed the retail price at 8 cents a quart in summer and 10 cents for fall and winter. It was stated that at Belle Vernon and other towns in the vicinity the price of milk remains at 8 cents during the cold weather.

In the discussion it was alleged that when the local milk trust first boosted the price of milk to 10 cents they claimed that the drought had reduced pasturage and injured the hay crop so that they were obliged to buy feed for their cows at high prices. Bad roads leading in and out of town was also given as a reason for raising the price at the time. Now with abundance of rain, good pasturage and more improved roads, the price is still boosted to 10 cents on October 1. After some discussion it was decided to appoint a committee to investigate the matter, and Mrs. E. C. Niver, Mrs Geo. Woodhall and Mrs. J. S. Crawford were named by the president of the Marketing Club, Mrs. Chas. O. Frye, for that purpose.

Other business transacted by the club was the appointment of a committee on by-laws and the fixing of the second Wednesday of each month as the regular date for meeting. The meetings are to be held in the rooms of the Business Men's Association, if permission can be secured. Mrs. Talley and Mrs. Sloan were present from the Monongahela Marketing Club, and the former told of their club had a research committee, whose duty it was to read up and search out all information useful to the club and present it at the meetings. The matter of the club purchasing household scales in a body was discussed, and the secretary was instructed to write for prices to some of the dealers. Speakers for some of the future meetings were also discussed and the secretary instructed to correspond with a view of securing available ones at opportune times.

New Church is Started

Monongahelians Appointed Rev. W. H. Shawger Pastor of Denomination

Monongahela is to have a new church to be known as the People's church and already a great many have joined and pledged their support to their new pastor, Rev. W. H. Shawger, of Dover, N. J., formerly pastor of the First Baptist church of that town. Rev. Shawger has been in Monongahela for the past week and it was while there that he accepted a call as pastor for the new church. He will leave the latter part of the week for Dover, N. J., where he will settle up his business affairs and will move with his family to Monongahela about the first of November. The following officers were chosen. Clerk, Harry R. Dias; treasurer, Charles Coulter; deacons, William Brandon, Samuel Hunt, John Hodgson; trustees, David Brandon, Ernest Jones, George Pritchard; Superintendent of Sunday school, Rev. W. H. Shawger; assistant superintendent, William Brandon.

COLONEL PROMISES TO COME

Roosevelt to Take Tour up Monongahela Valley October 24

MAY NOT STOP HERE

Col. Roosevelt will take a whirl up the Monongahela valley on Thursday, October 24 This information was contained in Pittsburg papers Commorning in Pittsburg papers. Consequently the Bull Moose people up this way are happy.

According to the plans of the leaders arranging the Roosevelt trip he will make stops at the principal towns along both sides of the river. Charleroi was not mentioned in the itinerary published in the Pittsburg papers this morning, but the strenuous Colonel will probably make this one of his stops It may be that he will come up the opposite side of the valley and if so Charleroi's chance of seeing him will be null and void except arrangements can be made to bring him here from Monessen by auto.

A meeting of Roosevelt men is to be held in Pittsburg Saturday when plans for Colonel's trip will be fully outlined. He will speak at Pittsburg on Wednesday night, October 23. On Thursday after his trip up the Monongahela valley he will continue through to Philadelphia.

DIAMOND THIEVES MAKE GOOD HAUL ON LOCAL HOME

Residence of Dr. J. B. Barth Entered--Booty Gotten Away With Approximates Total Value of About $600

Diamonds and jewelry approximating a total value of over $500 together with some money were taken by thieves who Monday night burglarized the home of Dr. J. B. Barth at 535 Washington avenue. The jewelry belonged to a guest, Mrs. Frederick Carts, of Baltimore, Md. Part of the money taken was from her pocketbook and part belonged to Miss May Barth. The burglary was not discovered until late Tuesday. The police worked quietly Tuesday afternoon not permitting news of the affair to get out until this morning.

Entrance to the Barth home was effected through a dining room window. A chisel was used to cut away a portion of the window sash around the lock. This removed it was no work to throw up the window and step in

Once inside the home the burglars evidentally moved with haste and with thoroughness. Seeing the hand bag of Mrs. Carts on the parlor mantle, they opened it and took therefrom a diamond ring, a diamond bracelet, a gold watch and gold chain and several dollars in money. From another place in the dining room they secured several dollars more which Miss May Barth has secreted. The hand bag of Mrs. Carts was carefully closed again. Some of the jewelry was contained in a small sack inside the bag. This bag was taken. Her pocketbook which also was in the hand bag was opened and the money removed.

Apparently well satisfied with their haul theb urglars went away as they had come, taking care to close down the window again. It was not until 11 o'clock Tuesday morning that the burglary was discovered. The police were called at once and given whatever information there was to be given. Mrs. Carts is of the opinion that the burglary occurred some time between 1:30 o'clock and 4 She says she heard a shuffling noise some time during the morning but paid no attention to it only realizing t hat the hour was after 1:30 and before 4 o'clock.

Chief of Police C. W. Albright stated this morning that he has a good clue and that he is working hard on it. He has ascertained the place from which a chisel and a hand electric light was purchased and has a good description of the purchaser. He is of the opinion that the burglary was committed by an ameteur. Police of all the surrounding towns have been notified to be on the watch and every avenue of escape is being guarded.

J. ADAM BEDE TO CLOSE UP CAMPAIGN

Republicans to Make Things Whirl From This Time Forth in All Parts of the County--Meetings Planned

From this time forth until election day Washington county is to ring with old time campaign doctrine. Spellbinders for every party and every part of every party are to spellbind, according to press announcement as they never spellbound before. Col. Roosevelt and Gov. Johnston of the Bull Moose aggregation, hot-headed and hopeful, anticipate great things from Washington county. Both are going to hit here. The Democrats are going to have their orators busy, but they have played many of their best cards. However, they are expecting great things. The Republicans are laughing up their sleeves.

Arrangements are being made for a whirlwind finish to the campaign with a big Republican meeting at Washington on October 29, when J. Adam Bede, of Minnesota will appear. J. Adam is a man who is gifted beyond the ordinary in the way of powers of expression, a fact Col. Roosevelt much laments. At a recent speech in Albuquerque, New Mexico, Mr. Bede devoted some time to Col. Roosevelt and the Rooseveltian principles that the Colonel is a second Lincoln. He said that Roosevelt did not compare in the least to the immortal Lincoln, that while the former was broad-minded and interested in the good of the people entirely, Col. Roosevelt was governed only by his selfish desire for office and power.

Meetings are being planned by the county committee and local committeemen for dates to be held in the Monongahela valley, at which some noted speakers will appear. These will be held towards the latter part of the month to offset the effect of Col. Roosevelt's trip up the Monongahela valley.

Persons who are the closest in touch with political affairs pick the Bull Moose crowd for third in Washington county. Poll books which were sent ut over a week ago from Washington are coming in and they don't substantiate by any means the claims of the Rooseveltians.

Dr. Henry W. Temple of Washington, is figured as a sacrifice in the contest against Congressman Charles Matthews. When the Washington party was formed in this county it was seen that there would have to be some sacrifices made in order to give it prestige. The result was the selection of Dr. Temple.

Congressman Matthews is recognized as a clever campaigner and a good man. He has made a good record in Congress. He is both a conservative and progressive by nature, believing in attaining the most good for the biggest number in the surest and safest and not the most radical way.

CHURCH PEOPLE TO BE COUNTED

At a recent meeting of the Monongahela ministerial association it was decided to take a religious census of Monongahela and vicinity and Rev. A. J. Hazelett pastor of the U. P. church, and T. G. Sanders, superintendent of the local Y. M. C. A. were appointed to make the necessary preparations for the work.

Notice to Purchasers

[illegible] will pay you double for them now. Cash. W. I. Higgins. 66-t1

Dancing School.

Saturday afternoon for children, 2:30. Might's auditorium. 61-t3

REAL ESTATE MELON SLICED AT DONORA

The Donora Real Estate company, one of the prosperous concerns of that town, declared a dividend f 100 per cent on their capital stock of $5,000 at the last regular meeting in September. This is the second dividend the company has declared, a previous one being for 50 per cent. The company have promoted town sites in Bentleyville and Marianna and have met with unusual success. They still control considerable property in Donora and keep in close touch with real estate matters in the community.

Premier Oat and Corn Flakes. Always fresh at the City Grocery.

BUYERS SHOULD CARE FOR OWN INTERESTS

Everyone Should Have Own Measures, Says Mikesell

SPEAKS TO LOCAL CLUB

County Sealer of Weights and Measures Tells How to Secure Protection

"I would urge every member of the Marketing Club as well as every one else to procure a dry measure, a liquid measure, and a yard stick and have them all officially inspected and stamped and then check up every purchase, just as the dealer does when he received his goods from the jobber, and as the jobber does when he gets his invoice from the wholesaler and producer," said O Evans Mikesell, county sealer of weights and measures, in his address before the Charleroi Marketing Club Tuesday, in the rooms of the Charleroi Business Men's Association. "This is what every business concern does when it purchases supplies and material, and it is just as essential for you to do the same in order to protect yourself and get what you pay for."

Mr. Mikesell's address was most practical and timely. He reviewed the history of organized effort to secure correct and uniform weights and measures, which he declared next to the pure food laws was most essential to the well being of society. Our board of county commisioners—Thomas Hill, John A. Berry and A. P. Barnum—he said, caught the spirit of the times when it created the office of sealer of weights and measures, and the action is a credit to the county. Mr. Mikesell dwelt upon the need of regulation, both national and state, as well as intelligent purchasing on the part of the people.

"Buy by weight exclusively," advised Mr. Mikesell. "There is no law against selling by the box, package, can or basket, but all these containers are deceptive and you get much more for your money by purchasing exclusively by weight."

Mr. Mikesell said that it was eternal vigilance in watching small details that made big concerns prosperous and it was just as essential watch the dimes and nickels in the family. Short weights and measures take millions of dollars out of the pockets of the people every year, and add more to the high cost of living than any other source. He told how one store that would have a scale that weighed an ounce short in selling an average of 500 pounds of butter a week would in a year gain $500 in illegal sales. He spoke of the public awakening along this line and said that the European countries were far ahead of this country in that the most of them compelled correct weights and measures and enforced the law rigidly, giving the people what they paid for.

At the conclusion of the address Mr. Mikesell had a heart to heart talk with the members, who stated various conditions and asked questions which were answered and discussed. Mr. Mikesell stated that the organization of state sealers of weights and measures was preparing some acts relating to the matter which would be presented at the next session of

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Interest in Big Series

Championship Games Hold Local Interests--Bulletins Eagerly Watched

Practically every inhabitant of Charleroi was interested and anxious as to the outcome Tuesday of the opening game of the world's series between the Boston American league and New York National league teams. There was a noticeable lull in business activities during the afternoon when bulletins were being posted at various points in town. Boston's victory was received with considerable enthusiasm. Similar interest attaches today's game.

CONTEST CAUSES TROUBLE

Ballot Boxes Tied up by Prothonotary Squabble

COMMISSIONERS AT SEA

The county commissioners are up against a decidedly stiff proposition in the solving of the ballot box question as a result of the Martin-Lewis contest for prothonotary. There are 80 ballot boxes gathered from all parts of the county stored at the court house in the care of H. Ed. McCutcheon, who was named as their custodian by the court. It is up to the commissioners to furnish the districts from which these came with ballot boxes.

The boxes in storage were collected by Sheriff R. G. Lutton under a special commission from the court and at an expense which was taxed up in the costs. There seems to have been no provision made for the return of the boxes and no costs were provided for this. It is to be supposed that they would have to be returned to the custody of the justices from whom they were gathered in the same manner that they were collected.

It would be manifestly unfair for the county to have to pay this expense, the officials believe, and hence another question has arisen. The attorneys for Martin have announced their intention of carrying the case to the supreme court following the adverse decision in the lower court, and this will mean a year's delay at least. There is some question whether these boxes should be touched while this is pending and if this is the case the commissioners will have to provide new ballot boxes. It will mean an expense to the county of at least $250.

It is probable that the matter will be gone into at once, as but little time remains for the securing of new boxes.

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LOCAL AGENCIES

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Mrs Belle Sharpneck....Lock No. 4
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MATTHEWS VS. TEMPLE.

Hon. Charles Matthews, the present Congressman representing the Twenty-fourth Congresional District was for thiry years a hard working employe in an iron and steel works. He is a man who has done things, and one who knows by actual and practical experience what is best for the employer and the employe in our great iron and steel industries.

Prof. Temple is a man who has passed his days in the pulpit and in the chair of a college professorship. His ideas of economics and government are purely theoretical He has had no experience in the school of hard knocks which so pre-eminently qualifies a man to see and know the needs of practical legislation. Mr. Temple's whole life has been spent in the atmosphere of the school and the church, out of touch with the masses who delve and toil in the industrial and commercial marts of the country. His living has always been easy and assured, and he has little conception of the practical side of life.

Mathhews, the Republican candidate for representative to Congress in the Washington-Beaver-Lawrence district, is a man whom the common people of the district need have no fear of trusting him to represent their everyday interests by re-electing him to another term in Washington when he has done himself great credit during his present incumbency. In Charley Matthews we have no high-toned, aristocratic man of ease and reputed scholarship. Charley is just a plain, sober-minded man of the common people, and will never be ashamed to own up that he is one of them.

To the farmers, the laboring men, the middle classes, and the business men of the Twenty-fourth Congressional District, are you going to select a man like Temple, one who is only a theorist on government, without a day's experience in the things of the world, a pure case of experiment, or are you going to vote for Matthews, the man who has earned his bread in the sweat of his brow and learned the practical things of life by actual contact therewith, instead of sitting around a study amid the halls of learning reading books on government? In your everyday practices you would not do such a foolish thing as to employ one who had no experience when you could as easily secure the services of one with a lifetime of hard experience.

Temple is wobbly on his theories of government. Matthews is for preserving those fundamental principals which over a century and a quarter trust, therefore one whom you know, or an exeprimentor? Will you vote for a man who has worked himself, or for a man of easy and aristocratic life?

WHY A CHANGE?

A president cannot make prosperity, though it is not many years ago that we had an example of how it could be unmade; but by guiding the affairs of the country to the extent of his authority he can maintain a basis for it that commands confidence. This President Taft has done and we believe that the hysteria of the early political year is subsiding to a point where the people of the country can discern and appreciate this fact. He has stood four-square in opposition to attempts that have been made to squander the nation's resources. He has challenged waste and extravagance wherever they have shown themselves and has made a record for econmy that none of his predecessors has excelled.

These are some of the things for the voters to think about. Those who are so insistent for a change should stop to consider what a change involves A big industrial strike is an example. Every workingman knows what it means to entirely change the force of a big plant at one fell swoop. It can usually be done, but it is exceedingly expensive and involves hardships all around These are the kind of changes that big business interests usually try to avoid

ELECTRIC SPARKS

This long-distance rooting on the world's series has its drawbacks.
There was a man in our town
Who smoked out all the flies.
And then he smoked himself out.
His body yonder lies

Hush a bye baby,
Papa's a loafer,
Sister's a typist
And mother's a "snofer"
—Washington Observer

W. J. Bryan is still on the lyceum bureau rolling

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Three different kinds of Presidential victories are indicated by the straw vote in Pittsburg. Taft, Wilson and Roosevelt. They can't all win.

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If Knox should accidentally slip into the job as president, wouldn't it surprise us?

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Hurrah for New York; and to prove we're not stingy, hurrah for Boston.

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Talk about consuming anxiety. What about waiting for the world's series games?

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The trouble with campaigns is that they are all described as whirlwind.

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Many people who think twice before acting lose so much time that the opportunity is gone when they are ready.

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It is quite possible for other countries than the United States to have railroad strikes. Not only possible, but very probable.

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A New York woman recently paid a fine of $10 for kissing a New York policeman, and seemed to think it a joke. Perhaps it was.

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New York is a hard place to find jurors.

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An aeroplane collided with a windmill at Corning, N. Y. Which disproves the assertion that danger all lies in the ground.

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Banker Belmont holds the world's records so far for political contributions with $100,000 to his credit However, there are others that are comers.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

In his address before the Charleroi Marketing Club Tuesday afternoon O. Evans Mikesell, sealer of weights and measures for Washington county, related a number of interesting incidents that came under his observation since his appointment. Mr. Mikesell has been making an exhaustive study of the necessities that exist for official inspection of weights of measures, having assisted the Pittsburg inspectors and visited and interviewed other inspectors in various parts of the state At the Harrisburg convention of state sealers of weights and measures recently, he met many inspectors who related the various experiences they had encountered in the discharge of their duties

"One of the incidents related," said Mr Mikesell, "was that of a man who purchased in one of the meat markets in a city in the state seven and one-half pounds of lamb chops. The package looked rather small, and when weighed at home he found that he had only a pound and a half of chops. At the market, where he went back to register a kick, he was informed that as he had ordered the chops trimmed, the six pounds had been lost in the process of trimming.

"Investigating the matter still further, he found that the trimmings which the dealer cut off and threw in a box under the counter, were sold for eight or ten cents a pound later on."

"A butcher informed me in one of my investigations," continued Mr. Mikesell, "that in 15 or 20 years in the retail meat business he has made a fortune selling heavy brown wrapping paper at the highest meat prices 'I got this paper,' said the butcher,' 'at a remarkably low price by buying large quantities at a time of the heaviest quality I could get. I used it very liberally, using two or three and sometimes more of the heavy sheets on the scale on which I placed the meat before weighing it My customers made a point in my favor that I was using such paper, and I realized a big profit on it.'

"It is against the law in this state,' said Mr Mikesell, "to weigh in wrapping paper at the same price in selling any kind of merchandise This comes particularly heavy on poor people who in summer time buy butter day by day, a quarter of a pound at a time, because they have no good place to keep it. Those wood cartons used, particularly if they are fastened together with tin fastenings at the corner, make a good profit for the grocer, who charge in the carton at the same price as the butter. I have been told that it is a frequent practice to keep these cartons in damp places where they will retain moisture, in order to increase their weight. This, all should remember, is contrary to law in this state. No dealer has a right to charge the price of the merchandise sold for wrappings or containers"

One of the women present at the meeting told how she saw a huckster on the street one time offer two boxes of berries for a quarter. Not finding a ready sale for these he took another box, and dividing the contents of the two boxes among the three, was soon announcing that three boxes could be had for a quarter.

Our Moving Picture Show

With poker and faro and lush
A tinhorn gambler did rush;
He picked a jasper to trim
Who put one on him;
He held in his hand a straight flush.

Watch this space tomorrow

COUNTY CLERK PREPARES NEW BALLOT SHEET

Where the form that has been in vogue for some time to be used this year in the preparation of the tally and triplicate return sheets for the November election it is probable the election boards would have to secure 10 acre fields in which to operate. In order to contain the electors and the local candidates it would be necessary if the old form was followed to have return sheets and tally sheets two feet wide by 20 feet long.

That this is fact and not fancy was demonstrated by a glance at the return and tally sheets of 1900. These sheets had only six parties on them and 34 instead of 38 electors, but in spite of this they were over 10 feet long by two feet wide. They were unwiedly to handle and made the job of the election boards anything but

known, there are 10 electoral tickets in the field and the usual number of local tickets for congress and state offices.

Chief Clerk to the County Commissioners Harry R Campbell has devised a way of getting around this unwieldy sheet. Mr. Campbell is an expert in this connection and always gives close and intelligent attention to the matter. This year he has determined upon a new departure in the tally sheet and return blanks. They will be put up in neat books of convenient size. The book will be 11 by 17 inches. There will be about 16 pages in the tally book.

The makeup of the official ballot will not be known to the commissioners until two weeks before election. Unless all arrangements were made this would be too short to get the ballots out. In order that all may go smoothly preliminary arrangements are being made by Clerk Campbell for getting out the ballots The size of the official ballot has been decided upon. It will be 25 by 38 inches. The triplicate return books and tally books have been planned and the only thing remaining for decision is the number of pages that will be required in each This of course will not be decided until the official ballot information comes from Harrisburg, two weeks previous to election.

With the innovation in the return booklets and tally books it will be possible to have them returned in one envelope without any folding and thus they will be in good shape and make filing easy.

MISSION STUDY IS TAKEN UP BY WOMEN AT ANNUAL MEETING

The Christian Women's Board of Missions Auxiliary of the Christian Church met at the home of Mrs. J. O. Watson at North Charleroi on Tuesday evening. After devotional exercises the mission study "China's New Day" was conducted by Mrs. T. M. Faddis. Mrs.D. R. Duvall described thec limate, products, location and surface of China Mrs Scott told about the birthday present of the Christian women to the Empress Dowager. Mrs. May discussed the life of the Child emperor, Kuang Hsu, in the Palace," Mrs. Carson gave the Effect of the New Testament on the Life of Kuang Hsu Mrs E. J. Dainty told of the things that led to the Boxer Uprising. Twenty visitors were present Three new members were admitted Mrs. Emma Dawson, Mrs. C S VanVoorhis, and Mrs. Ray Humbert. After the program, refresements were served by Mrs. Watson, and a silver offering taken, to be divided between two contesting sides.

Mr. Watson showed his interest in the work by having on display a C. W. B. M. banner encased in an immense ice block, surrounded with all the tropical fruits of the season. Another similar block held a refreshing well of orangeade.

The yearly report was given by the secretary. Mrs. Harry May was the only member who had attended every meeting in the year. The financial report showed the increase in funds twice that of last year.

The Winter Club of Charleroi will hold their weekly dance in Might's Auditorium Thursday, October 10. Select Wheeler's orchestra. 66-t2

Dancing School.

Tuesday night dancing school, Might's Auditorium. Class 7:30. Dancing 8:45. Wheeler orchestra. 64-t2

EVANGELISTIC CAMPAIGN TO BE CONDUCTED

Pittsburg is planning a big evangelistic campaign for the month of Novembeer. Meetings will be held in all parts of the city. A four days' preparatory evangelistic program for October 14-18 is a preliminary to the month of mass meetings in churches tents, factories and mines.

Famous evangelists will come to aid in the work. The meetings next week will be held in the Second Presbyterian church, Eighth street, below Penn avenue. Men and women from all the surrounding cities are planning to attend these services. Some of the best known ministers in the country will preach at the various services.

DISCUSS MISSIONS AT LOCAL CHURCH

Rev. H. C. Gleiss, the mission superintendent of the Pittsburg Baptist Association and Rev. F. K. Singiser of Knoxville were in Charleroi Tuesday night and made addresses on thesubject of missions at the First Baptist church. They are working throughout the Pittsburg district in the interests of missions

Star Theatre Tonight.

"High Cost of Living," in two reels. The story of today told in film. Also, "The Voice of Conscience," and "Greaser and the Weakling." Thursday and Friday, 101 Bison. 65-t2

Rummage Sale.

The ladies of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church will hold a Rummage Sale. Thursday afternoon and Friday, October 10 and 11 at 317 Fifth street 66-t2p

AN ORDINANCE.

Authorizing the Borough of North Charleroi to Enter into a Contract With the West Penn Electric Company, a corporation of the State of Pennsylvania, to furnish Electric Light to the said Borough under certain terms and conditions for a period of five (5) years.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Borough of North Charleroi, in Council assembled and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same

Section 1. That the Borough of North Charleroi be, and the same is hereby authorized and directed to enter into an agreement with The West Penn Electric Company to furnish electric light to the said Borough of North Charleroi, for its streets and highways, under the terms and conditions hereinafter stipulated, for a period of Five (5) years from the date light is first furnished under a certain agreement authorized by the passage of this Ordinance.

Section 2. Said light shall be furnished by Forty (40) 60 c. p., 7 1-2 ampere, series tungsten lamps, or lamps of equivalent illuminating power, and one-half of One (1) 7 1-2 ampere series arc lamp.

The rate per light, for each 60 c p. incandescent lamp furnished hereunder and such additional lamps as may be installed, shall be Twenty-four Dollars ($24.00) per year, and the rate for the 7 1-2 ampere series arc lamp shall be Seventy Dollars ($70 00) per year, payable in equal monthly installments of or before the 15th day of the month next following the month in which service is rendered

Said lights shall burn every night from dusk until dawn, unless prevented from so doing by accident or other cause beyond the control of the said West Penn Electric Company

Section 3. The President and Secretary of Council are hereby authorized and directed to execute said contract for and on behalf of said Borough.

Section 4. The West Penn Electric Company shall pay the cost for the publication of this Ordinance.

Section 5. All ordinances, or parts of ordiances, inconsistent or in any manner conflicting with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted in Council assembled this 7th day of October, A. D. 1912.

Samuel Gaskill,
President Pro Tem of Council.

Attest:
R. A. Metz,
Secretary.

Examined and approved this 7th day of October, A. D., 1912.

Harry W. Scott,
Chief Burgess.

Attest:
R. A. Metz,
Clerk of Council.

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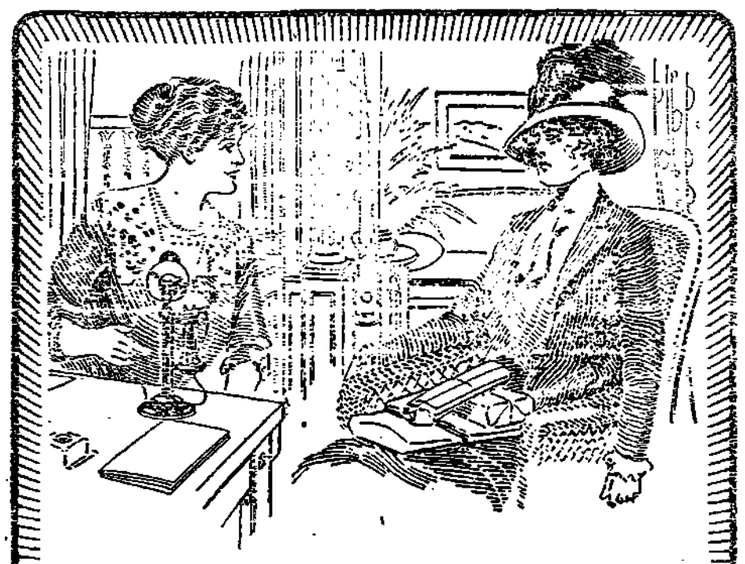

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TAFT FLAYS THIRD PARTY

Republican Party Will Gain New Vitality

DESERTERS WILL RETURN

But When They Do Let Them Bring Forth "Works Meet for Repentance"—Republicans Have Made the Grandeur of the Country for Sixty Years.

The address of President Taft to the Beverly Republican Club, Beverly, Mass., Sept. 3, was as follows:

Gentlemen of the Beverly Republican club and, I am glad to say, my fellow citizens of Beverly, I thank you for this cordial greeting. This club suggests one or two thoughts of a political character that I did not touch upon in the remarks I addressed to you on Saturday. It suggests the necessity for renewed organization of the Republican party in the present campaign.

tions. The Republican party has been successful for many years. I think the last national defeat we suffered was in 1892, and that is twenty years ago. We have reached a point where it was natural that there should be some gentlemen who were convinced that their position in the party was not all that they thought they were entitled to and therefore they were in favor of sloughing off into a third party. Now, the danger in the continuance in power for a long time to the party itself is the jealousies, the factions, the quarrels within the party that long life and success are apt to generate, and, while, of course, a third party is a misfortune to the Republican party in the loss of some votes, we must be philosophical and look at this result on its good side as well as on its bad side.

I conceive in respect of the life of the Republican party that secession of a third party is going to give us new vitality in the very feeling of fight that the injustice of the claims of the third party will arouse in us as real Republicans. We know that we are a better set of men than we are now called by those who were very glad at one time to be known as leading Republicans. We know that we stand in the nation as the guardian of those institutions of civil liberty under our constitution, the preservation of which has made this nation permanent and great, and that nothing could come to this country of greater political injury than such a split in the Republican party as would destroy it.

The importance of this campaign in its immediate result is great. I could hardly state with more emphasis than I really believe the crisis that we now face with reference to the continuance of prosperity in this country by reason of the vote that we are to have in November, but there is something beyond November with respect to the Republican party. It is essential that we should continue and revitalize it as a permanent party and a permanent force in this nation for the continuance of the progress that has made it great. No student of history can deny that the grandeur of this nation and the height that it has reached among nations during the last sixty years has been due to the guidance and the force and the energy and enterprise of the Republican party. We propose to have that continue. We propose that the force represented by the Republican party shall continue useful in the history of this nation. With that in mind, I would urge upon you the necessity for closing up the ranks, finding out who is a Republican, and who is not, and when you find a man who is not, do not count him for the party. One who is not loyal never helps.

There is no use, gentlemen, temporizing about this matter. A man is a Republican or he is not. Is he going to support the national ticket, and is he going to support the State ticket? If he is he is a Republican, and if he is not he is not a Republican. Now, such a policy may cost us some votes, but in the not distant future these gentlemen who have deserted us in the hope of enjoying office, on the one hand, or a millennium, on the other, will find themselves without office, millennium or party. They will feel a bit lonely, and then when they come back to the Republican party, as they will come back, let them come back as Republicans, but bringing forth works meet for repentance.

WILLIAM HOWARD TAFT.

WILSON'S CHIEF SPELLBINDER.

The Self Degradation of a Former Republican President.

If at the time of the defeat of Burgoyne any one had foretold that Benedict Arnold four years later would lead a force of British and Tories in the massacre of his countrymen at Fort Griswold, the prediction would have been met with the greatest resentment and indignation.

If four years ago any one had predicted that a man twice honored by the Republican party with the highest office on earth—the presidency of the United States—would turn on that party and seek to rend it because not given a third term, and would do his best indirectly to elect the choice and the representative of the southern bourbon democracy, that prediction would have seemed fully as incredible as the former.

The third term candidate is the principal spellbinder for Woodrow Wilson. He knows in his heart and soul that the only success possible for him should he succeed would be to defeat Taft and elect Wilson. Every vote for Roosevelt is indirectly a vote for the Democratic nominee, whose supporters at Baltimore made an open appeal for his nomination on the ground that he was a native of Virginia, an ex-Confederate, and Champ Clark, a native of Lincoln's state of Kentucky.

Filled with anger against President Taft, who has merited by able, faithful and distinguished service the usual need of Republican presidents, another term in the White House, Roosevelt parades up and down, here and there and everywhere, professing any principle or lack of principle, from anarchy to oligarchy, that he thinks may win votes and throwing to the winds alike consistency, decency and that reverence which every American should feel and express for the institutions of our country.

That the aspirant for a third term will sink into richly merited oblivion there can be no doubt whatever. He might have maintained in private life the honor, the dignity and the influence belonging to his position as an ex-president. He has sacrificed them all to a Catilinian ambition, and the calm and deliberate judgment of the American people will put the stamp of condemnation alike on his insatiable appetite for power and his unscrupulous demagogy.

Even the bourbons who are egging him on and rejoicing in the hope of profit from his treachery have only contempt for his motives and his course. They are delighted to see him attempt to destroy the party which abolished slavery, overthrew secession, built up American industry and maintained the financial integrity of the nation. But they have no stomach for the malice and the treachery that are behind his desperate adventure. When Aaron Burr was self exiled to Europe after the killing of Hamilton and the semitreason of his Mexican expedition an Englishman desiring to visit the United States asked him for letters of introduction. "I have no friends in America," answered the former idol and once popular vice president, with an expression of abject loneliness that his visitor could never forget. And so it will be with the perpetual candidate when his followers recover from the brief madness that now possesses them and realize alike his monstrous egotism and their own aberration.

A PERTINENT QUESTION

Which the Third Termer Did Not Care to Answer.

A man attending a third term meeting at Denver asked the third termer the very pertinent question, "Would not the Republican party have been all right if it had nominated you?"

The third termer did not reply. He simply looked angry and went on doling out political, economic and socialistic chop suey garnished with the usual sauce of epithets. It was, we repeat, a very pertinent question. The Republican party and Republican principles were good enough for the third termer until he found that the party was not willing to give him a third term. Then he broke loose, and began gathering in every issue and alleged issue he could grab to make up his cray quilt platform. He has sought, with the savage rage of a Malay running amuck, to destroy everybody and everything obstructing his mad onrush toward a goal he will never reach. His ingratitude to the party which honored him immeasurably beyond his deserts will be the fitting reward in the historic fate of those who have sought to "rule or ruin."

FOR CHINESE IMMIGRATION

What Woodrow Wilson Wrote in His Well-known "History"

PREFERRED IT TO EUROPEAN

"More to Be Desired as Workmen, If Not as Citizens, Than Most of the Coarse Crew That Came Crowding Every Year at Eastern Ports"

Woodrow Wilson, Democratic candidate for president of the United States, has declared himself in the most public and permanent manner in favor of Chinese immigration as preferable to foreigners from southern and eastern Europe, whom he calls "the coarse crew crowding in at the eastern ports"—that is, New York, Boston, etc. As a very large proportion of the workers in New England mills belong to the class denounced by Wilson as less desirable than the Chinese, they ought to be interested in the views which he has expressed and which we quote as follows from page and volume of Wilson's "History of the American People."

From page 212, volume 5, "Now there came multitude of men of the lowest class from the south of Italy and men of meaner sort out of Hungary and Poland, as if the countries of the south of Europe were disburdening themselves of the more sordid and hapless elements of their population."

From page 213, volume 5: "The Chinese were more to be desired as workmen, if not as citizens, than most of the coarse crew that came crowding in every year at the eastern ports. It was their skill, their intelligence, their knack of succeeding and driving duller rivals out rather than their alien habits that made them feared and hated and led to their exclusion at the prayer of the men they would likely displace should they multiply. The unlikely fellow who came in at the eastern ports (that is, the immigrants from Europe) were tolerated because they usurped no place but the very lowest in the scale of labor."

Foreign born workingmen and working women of New England, what do you think of this statement by Woodrow Wilson, Democratic candidate for president of the United States? He says that you are "a coarse crew," that the Chinese are better workmen and might make etter citizens than you are, and that you are tolerated because you usurp "no place but the very lowest in the scale of labor."

We have given you page number and volume number where these statements are to be found in Woodrow Wilson's "History of the American People." You can go to any library and read them for yourself.

Woodrow Wilson is the first candidate for president of the United States who has declared himself in favor of Chinese immigration. Of the estimated population of 350,000,000 in China many millions would like to come to America. If admitted they would soon drive American labor out of the mills and workshops and also out of retail and much of the wholesale business. At present Wilson is keeping very mum on the subject, but there can be no doubt whatever that he would, if elected president, attempt to carry out his published views, and open the door to the Chinese. In this he would have the backing of the southern Democrats, who would be glad to have the Chinese come over and work for them in place of the negroes.

In this connection we suggest particular attention to Woodrow Wilson's expression about "the unlikely fellows" from southern and eastern Europe being "tolerated because they usurped no place but the very lowest in the scale of labor."

The Republican party, whose first president was Lincoln the rail splitter, whose second president was Johnson the tailor, whose third president was Grant the tanner, whose fifth president was Garfield the towpath mule driver, whose eighth president was McKinley, in his youth an iron founder, regards and treats all honest labor as honorable and as not merely to be "tolerated," but honored.

Wilson's slur upon the labor of the foreign born finds no echo in the utterances of President Taft, who, returning from a visit to the west, in the course of which he addressed large gatherings of our adopted countrymen, declared that nothing had gratified him so much as the intelligent interest shown by his hearers in American institutions and their earnest desire to understand the spirit and meaning of the constitution of the United States.

Nicaragua declined; Marines to Be Withdrawn," says a newspaper headline, marking the conclusion of another delicate and menacing international situation, ably handled by the administration.

Woodrow Wilson remarks that "the American people aren't going to be fed any longer with words," but he has offered no refutation of that himself.

Prosperity is politics proof when a Republican administration is in power, but it wouldn't be in the face of Democratic or third party tinkering.

It is apparent that the third term party did not get value or the $2 a vote it paid in the New York primaries.

REMEMBER 1892

How Prosperity Changed When Democrats Elected a President.

In January 1892, this country was prosperous, and all conditions indicated continuance of prosperity. In November the Democratic presidential candidate was elected.

In 1893 the Democratic congress convened in extraordinary session, began its anti-protection activities. After a time it enacted the Wilson low tariff law.

In the early summer of that year came the panic. In the period from May 1 to July 23, 301 banks, with a total capital of $38,000,000, suspended. The total number of banks suspended in that year was 585.

In 1892 the total amount of liabilities on account of business failure was $114,000,000. In 1893 the total was $346,000,000.

In the year 1893 railroad properties whose aggregate value was $1,200,000,000 were in the hands of receivers. Between May 4 and Oct. 3 $378,000,000 was withdrawn from national banks.

In this state alone withdrawals of deposits from savings banks were $34,000,000 in excess of deposits made.

In the period from Jan. 1, 1892, to Jan. 1 1896, there was a shrinkage of $1,400,000,000 in the total value of farm products and live stock in the United States.

In that period prices were lower, but hundreds of thousands were wageless and other multitudes worked at low wages and on short time. They had little money or none with which to buy even the most ordinary necessaries of life in adequate quantity.

Now, after twenty years, the Democratic party is again asking the electorate of the United States to put it in control of national affairs in order that the performances of its last period of control and their disastrous consequences may be repeated.

The Republican party, under whose administration during sixteen years the country has become newly prosperous and more prosperous than ever it was before, pledges itself to maintenance of the policies which restored and promoted prosperity.

There is a paramount issue. What intelligent American can hesitate to make his choice?—Albany Journal.

Business Confidences.

In his speech of acceptance Woodrow Wilson asserted that the tariff has made the business men of the country "timid, fretful, full of alarms; has robbed them of self confidence and manly force until they have cried out that they could do nothing without the assistance of the government at Washington."

Present day conditions challenge the accuracy of this statement. The excellent doctor would do well to point out some of the "timid, fretful" business men who are now "full of alarms" and who are lacking in "self confidence and manly force." Where can he find them?

The country is at the high tide of prosperity. Business confidence is in evidence everywhere. The course of the Republican administration is directly responsible for this condition. Danger lies only in a change of administration, with the consequent change of policy that is promised. Then, truly, the business men of the country would be "full of alarms," and they would have justification.

STANISLAUS GRODZIK HAS ENOUGH SAVED TO LAST FOUR YEARS IF WILSON'S ELECTED, SO IS WILLING TO LOAF.

(Special to Telegram.)

Webster, Mass., Sept. 29.—Stanislaus Grodzik, who lives in the East village, although he isn't a voter, is red hot for Wilson and has one of the strongest arguments ever in favor of the Princeton professor for president.

Grodzik has lived in Webster fifteen years and is a candidate for naturalization next year. He won't be able to vote for Wilson this year, but has advised all his friends to vote for Wilson.

Grodzik's argument is that he works too hard under the prosperity administration of Taft and Republicans and wants a rest. With Wilson and Democracy at the helm Grodzik, who has experienced the administration of one Democratic president, knows that there will be plenty of chance to loaf.

For ten months the East village mill of the S. Slater & Sons, Inc., has been working night and day to fill orders, and as a result of the prosperity at the mill Grodzik has been worked over-time. If Taft is re-elected Grodzik fears that the over-time schedule may be extended to another term of ten or twenty months and wants to call a halt.

"Too much work when Republican he's President," said Grodzik today. "With Democrat lots time to loaf and spend all the money we make when Republican is boss. By Gosh, I'm sick for work hard and no chance to spend my money. If Democrat he's elected we have lots of time then. I guess I get enough save to last four years if we work half time."

—Worcester (Mass.) Telegram.

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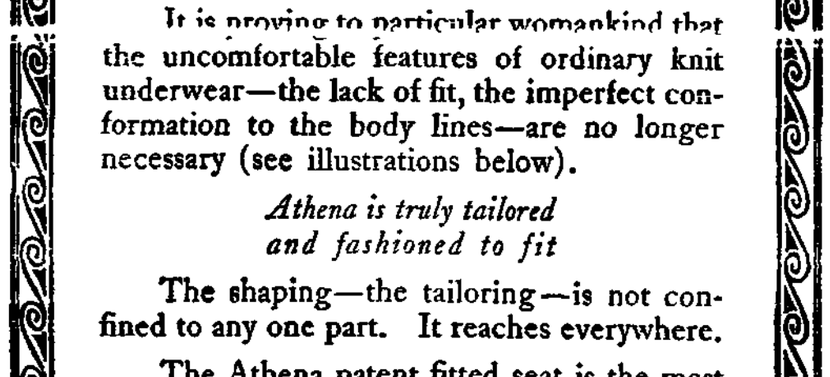
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NARROW ACROSS BACK
THE USUAL KNIT GARMENT
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BOWLING

Pirates took two out of three the Cubs of the Pastime Bowl-league at the Casino Alleys. ving is the score:

Pirates.			
.....	98	98	124
.....	109	111	116
.....	84	98	90
ne	91	104	105
ews	133	99	91
s	515	510	526
Cubs.			
ousx	92	112	112
ett	101	100	93
ler	86	88	87
s	96	98	139
cen	97	104	107
s	472	502	538

Standing.

	W	L	Pct.
.....	2	1	.666
es	3	3	.500
rs	1	4	.333
.....	2	4	.333

e next game will be Friday be-n the Tigers and the Sox.

YERS SHOULD CARE FOR OWN INTEREST

(Continued from First Page)

Legislature, and asked the Mar-ng Club to aid in petitioning the ity assemblymen to vote and for their passage. His address interesting and instructive and be published in full in some e issue.

Flowers, one of the sur-of the gallant 74th Pa., Vols., ying the hospitality of relatives rnesville, Ohio.

THREATENED WITH LYNCHING AFTER ATTACK ON GIRL

Charged with a serious offense and threatened with death at the end of a rope unless he was removed by officers, Jame Palmer, colored of West Pike Run township was lodged in jail Tuesday afternoon by Officer William Eppley of Bentleyville Palmer's alleged victim was his 13-year-old step daughter.

Palmer is about 40 years og age He is alleged to have threatened the life of the little girl if she made known to her mother the facts and the little girl kept the secret for several days until the mother made preparations to leove her at home alone with the step-father. It was then that the child told why she was afraid to remain with Palmer

News of the child's story was spread about the neighborhood in which Palmer resided and things began to look bad for the negro Officers were sent for and instructed to take Palmer from the neighborhood an turn him over to the proper authorities or the residents of West Pike Run would take charge of matters and the case would soon be settled

Officers Eppley arrested Palmer and the accused man was given a hearing before Justice Grubbs of Bentleyville and held for court.

Turn Over a New Leaf

By subscribing for THIS PAPER

The Gallows Plant.

During the middle ages the botanists or old "herbalists" gave currency to many curious stories concerning the growth form etc of the mandrake or May apple which finally resulted in its being given the name of "gallows-plant" The pseudo scientists of that time declared that mandrakes would grow in no other place except upon which some terrible crime had been committed The roots were formerly supposed to bear a strong resemblance to the human form

Moistened Her Feelings.

A little girl was playing at the table with her cup of water Her father took the cup from her and in so doing accidentally spilled some of the water on her

"There!" she cried as she left the table indignantly "You wet me clear to my feelings"—Everybody's.

A Cautious Girl.

"Would you die for me?" she murmured

"Gladly, darling" he answered.

"And would there," she continued softly "be anything left for me after the undertaker's bill was paid?"—Bachelor's Casket

Spoke For Twenty-six Hours

A bill was pending in the legislature of British Columbia which, if passed, would drive many settlers from their lands The legislature was within a day and a half of its final adjournment, and the vote was about to be taken. At this juncture Mr. De Cosmos, a member, rose to address the body. It was 10 o'clock in the morning, and the members thought he would finish in an hour or two. Next morning when the sun flooded the hall with the light of day the orator was still, without faltering, pouring forth his torrent of words. As the clock struck 12 the limit prescribed by law for the session arrived, and the legislature stood adjourned sine die. De Cosmos stopped in the middle of a sentence and fell fainting in his seat. He had spoken, standing on his feet, for twenty-six hours! His eyes were bleared and red, and his lips were cracked and running blood. He was nearly dead, but he had prevented the bill from becoming law.

Society and Personal

(The Mail is anxious to publish all items of local interest, such as accounts of parties, entertainments or the like in this column and invites its readers to hand in notes of such. Names of those present at various functions will be published to a limited number. Personals are especially desired. More important items will be given under special head.)

A silver social will be held at the home of Mrs. J. M. Hill, 510 Washington avenue tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. S. J. Howard and children of Cherryvale, Kan., after visiting friends in Charleroi left this morning for their home. Hrs. Howard was before her mariage, Miss Florence Wilson. She is the daughter of H. C. Wilson, formerly of Charleroi.

R. C. Mountsier and J C. Masters are in the east attending games of the world's series.

Ralph Bayne, the local transfer man suffered the loss of one of a team of horses Tuesday night.

Miss Clara E Frye will leave to-[illegible] will spend several weeks with relatives. She will also visit in Oklahoma City.

The Winter Club will hold its regular weekly dance in the Might Auditorium Thursday night. A good-sized crowd is expected. Wheeler's orchestra is to furnish the music.

Mr and Mrs. John W. Trew and son Lawrence of Stanton, Illinois, arrived today. Mr. Trew will probably locate in Pennsylvania.

Robert Atherton of St Helens, Eng., after a few days' visit at the home of Mr and Mrs. L. Heaton on Second street left this morning for Ford City, where he will visit briefly before sailing on Saturday for his home.

Fred Lange of Fayette City, an employe at the Spencer Auto Garage here, and Miss Kate Campbell Wilson of Allenport went to Cumberland, Md, Tuesday, secured a marriage license and it is said were married there. Both are popular young people in their respective home communities. Mr. Lange is an electrician at the local garage.

Where Did They Put It?

Yeast—When they do housecleaning at home I have the greatest trouble in finding anything Crimsonbeak—Me too. They cleaned house at my place the other day, and when I get home, do you know, I couldn't find the keyhole for the longest time.—Yonkers Statesman.

The Difference.

"Who is the more contented—a man with a million dollars or a man with six daughters?"

"The man with six daughters. The man with the million wants more."

The arrow of sarcasm are barbed with contempt. It is the sneer in the satire or ridicule that galls and wounds. —W Gladden

He Aroused Them.

When Samuel S Colber was preaching in an old log schoolhouse in Johnson county, Missouri, in 1852, his congregation was quite small. One Sunday all were sitting at the desks forward near the puncheon floor. The sermon was monotonous and the old log seats had no backs. Observing the sleepy, down cast look of the congregation the minister woke them up by shouting, "Arouse, heaven is not under the floor!"

Domestic Bookkeeping

"And what's your reason for increasing the servants' wages pray?" her friend asked

"Because my husband complained that my dress and millinery bills equaled the household expenses, and I want to show him they do not"—London Tit-Bits

Classified Ads.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 330 Washington avenue. 65-tf

WANTED—Boy between 15 and 17 years old to learn drug business. Good wages. Apply Brown's Pharmacy, Belle Vernon, Pa. 61-tf

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WANTED—Young lady for office work. Prefer one living in Charleroi. Make application in own hand-writing and send to S.P., Mail office. 64tf

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Extra heavy large all wool blankets, thoroughly scoured and shrunk, full 11-4 size in all kinds of plaids and plain white, a big offering at per pair..... $4.25

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1 1-4 Cotton Blankets in grey, tan or white, very heavy good wearing quality, fancy contrasting borders, per pair...98c

1 2-4 COTTON BLANKET.

Extra soft fleecy finish in pretty grey and white with fancy border a big warm blanket per pair $1.50

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